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Sir:

In response to the Notice Regarding NASA Property Rights dated March 10, 2004, submitted herewith please find an executed National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Property Rights Statement, which indicates that NASA is not believed to have any property right in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (NASA) PROPERTY RIGHTS STATEMENT

Sir:

We, Larry Capots and William Lynch, citizens of U.S.A., residing at the addresses noted below, declare:

That we made and conceived the invention described and claimed in Patent Application No. 10/618,314 filed in the United States of America on, July 10, 2003, entitled "SPACE BASED INTEGRATED MULTI-MISSION BROADBAND ARCHITECTURE".

That we made and conceived this invention while employed by Lockheed Martin

Corporation; that the invention is related to the work we are employed to perform and was made
within the scope of our employment duties; and that the invention was made during working
hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of
Lockheed Martin Corporation.

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That to the best of our knowledge and belief, the invention was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice) under **nor** is there any relationship of the invention to the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

We declare further that all statement made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements made with the knowledge that willful false statement and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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